

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

EDWARD McCLAIN,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRIAN THOMAS, DR. ZAJAC,
G. HEISNER, SCOTT McADAMS,
JASON OGLE, GEORGE LOWIS,
and DON DEHNE

Defendants.

Civil No. **07-231-MJR-CJP**

ORDER

PROUD, Magistrate Judge:

Before the Court is defendants' Motion to Compel Discovery. (**Doc. 20**).

Plaintiff has not filed a response, and the time for doing so has now expired. The Court deems the failure to file a response to be an admission of the merits of the motion, pursuant to SDIL-LR 7.1.

Therefore, defendants' Motion to Compel Discovery (**Doc. 20**) is **GRANTED**. Plaintiff is ordered to respond fully to defendants' First Set of Interrogatories and Request for Production of Documents by **May 29, 2009**. The time for objecting to defendants' discovery requests expired on April 20, 2009. Therefore, any such objections have been waived.

Plaintiff is hereby notified that failure to comply with this Court's orders may subject him to sanctions, which may include monetary penalties and/or dismissal of this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: May 15, 2009.

s/ Clifford J. Proud
CLIFFORD J. PROUD
U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE